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A project for an electric railroad from New York to Washington is on foot, and it is claimed that a speed of 120 miles an hour will be reached.

The employees of the Grand Trunk shops, at Montreal, and other places, who were laid off about six weeks ago returned to work on Tuesday last.

A bomb was thrown into the press room of the House of Commons, on Thursday night of last week. An explosion followed which made a hole in the floor and smashed the windows. The bomb was intended to destroy the fine new House of Commons, but fell short of its mark, and the press was uninjured.

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Tuesday, July 10.-On Lot 12, Con. 9, Rawdon, 14 good Milk Cows, and other Stock belonging to William J. Montgomery, Auctioneer.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Trains call at Stirling station as follows: GOING WEST. GOING EAST.

Stirling to Montreal, 10:00 a.m. Montreal to Stirling, 10:00 p.m.

HOME MATTERS.

Mrs. A. G. Green is visiting friends here.

Mrs. C. H. Glass arrived home on Friday to spend a month's holidays.

The official returns in West Hastings give Stirling and Belleville a total of 81.

Mr. H. Corley has been rejected by acclamation for West Hastings.

The crops throughout the country are looking well, and there is promise of an abundant harvest.

Mr. Will Lanktree arrived from Toronto on Saturday to spend a short time with his mother and friends here.

Miss Minnie Crosby has successfully passed the examination for the Normal School, Ottawa, for 2nd Class Certificate.

Geo. W. Walker, dentist, Belleville, visits Stirling the first and second Tuesday in every month.

Mr. L. Root has returned to Stirling and is occupying his residence near Town Hall, which the lately has very much improved.

At the Belleville Cheese Board on Tuesday last 180 boxes while 1000 boxes colored were offered. Sales were made at 9c. to 10c.

A number of the people of the Methodist Church met at the parish hall on Thursday evening last to welcome their new pastor, Rev. C. L. Thompson, and family.

The A.O.U.W. Lodge of Madoc have an excursion to Lake Ontario on Thursday, the 6th July. The Stirling L.O.F. Band are engaged for the occasion.

With the thunderstorms of Monday evening and night the excessive heat of the past two or three weeks has passed away, to the great relief of suffering humanity.

Miss Letty Boldrick returned home on Tuesday last from an extended visit to her brothers at Detroit and Duluth. Her health has been considerably improved by the trip.

John McLean, having successfully passed the examinations for license of the School of Pharmacy, recently obtained a diploma of Bachelor of Pharmacy from Toronto University.

Farmers are now busy with their hay. We noticed some of the best work done. The hay crop generally is turning out well, and was expected and will be at least a good average crop.

Mr. Chas. Carverly, formerly of this village, was married this week to Miss McInnis, of Woodville. They are now spending their honeymoon in New York city and other cities of the U.S.

The official returns for East Hastings give McLaren, the Patron candidate a majority of 161. North Hastings Mr. Haggerty's majority over Mr. Wood is officially given at 50, the total vote being 1782, Wood 1732.

A number of handsome flags were flung to the breeze on Dominion Day, and the noticeable flag of J. A. Boldrick, Stirling, and F. T. Ward, G. J. Scott, and the flag of the Public School. Loyalty is not doing out in the Dominion.

Hastings Star.—The Rev. J. A. Jewell B.A., and family arrived on Thursday evening. The friends of the Rev. Mr. Jewell had taken possession of the parsonage beforehand and were on hand with tables and spread to welcome their new pastor and family.

Wednesday evening last being fine the decoration ceremony by Stirling Lodge No. 229 L.O.O.F. was a most interesting affair. The friends of the order, and by the village and surrounding country, were present. The Rev. Mr. Jewell, who is now eight years of age, was present in Stirling Cemetery.

We are pleased to learn that Dr. C. M. Kingston, who has just returned from New York, where he has been taking a course of study in the Postgraduate School and Hospital of that city, has entered into partnership with Dr. McKeljohn of this place. Dr. Kingston comes highly recommended, having had full charge of a hospital at Stirling for eight months.

The procession of school children on Dominion Day was one of the most interesting sights witnessed in our village for some time. The children were under the leadership of their teachers, and as they marched past the school, the sight was one of the fairest to be seen, and thoughts of the future possibilities of this great country for children on the destiny of our country is continually before the mind.

The Oremus Major of last week, in referring to Rev. Mr. Thompson's departure from there, says:—"For the past three years that Mr. Thompson and his family have been with us, they have made many warm friends, who will be very sorry to have them leave. Mr. Thompson, in his unassuming religious duties, has endeavored to win, not only to his own church, but all the churches in town, and the citizens as a whole. He was one of the foremost workers in mission and temperance work for the people, and was always working for the uplifting of Christendom. His departure is a great loss to the homes of those who needed a kind word when on a sick bed, and his removal from the family of Mr. Thompson is a great loss to the citizens of Ontario as a whole. A deep loss, but our loss will be a gain to where he goes. The citizens will be congratulated in having so fortunate a pastor as an able pastor for the Methodist Church and having such a respected and amiable family leave in their stead."

After The Elections.

The elections are over now with excitement is about over. You must have suffered greatly on election day from the effects of the heat. The Oak Hall, Belleville, can give you a nice light coat and vest for a small amount of money that it seems a shame for you to be suffering with heavy clothing.

There appears to be no prospect of the anti-slavery cause being helped by the election of Mr. J. A. Boldrick, a candidate and a member of the anti-slavery cause.

Mr. Robertson, bailiff and auctioneer of Belleville, died suddenly on Friday night last. He was about 70 years of age.

Mrs. Laker and Mr. Henry Pringle, have the contract for building an electric railway in Belleville, and also for putting in electric lights. They will endeavor to have a portion of the railway completed this fall.

DOMINION DAY.

The celebration of Dominion Day in this village on Monday last, which was under the auspices of St. Andrew's Church, was most successful. A large number of people gathered into the village from the surrounding country, although the weather was excessively warm and did not look great interest in the proceedings. About half past ten the celebration procession took place, headed by the band, and the grotesque characters represented created great amusement.

In the afternoon, shortly before 1 o'clock, a procession of about 500 school children was formed, and starting from the Public School marched to the village square, headed by the L.O.O.F. Band. The procession was a very fine one, the children all carrying flags, and many long and short banners and two arches were also in the procession.

The night was a grand one, and a beautiful feature of the day. On arriving at the grounds school addresses were made by Rev. J. M. Gray and Wm. Spence. The latter, in his address, made the prize of a handsome flag, of the value of \$10, for the largest and best turnout. The teacher, Mr. C. B. De Milie, had taken a great deal of pains in training the pupils under his charge, and the school well deserved the prize they won. At the head of the school was a pony dog cart, which was driven by a number of children, the cart being handsomely decorated with flowers and maple leaves. Some of the children were carrying flags, and some were carrying banners.

The other principal attractions of the afternoon were a lacrosse match between Stirling and Belleville clubs, which was declared a draw on account of rain. A football match between Stirling and Madoc clubs in which Stirling was victorious. There were also other games and sports such as foot races, etc.

In the evening a Concert was given in the Music Hall, which was crowded full. The program was a very fine one, and the performance was most successful. The choir, under the direction of Mr. H. Corley, was particularly well sung. The singing of Miss Conley, Mrs. McKeljohn, and Messrs. Blackley and McKeljohn was highly appreciated.

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Mr. J. P. Silverlight was badly injured at Chatham on Wednesday by a fall from a horse. James Allen's carriage factory, in Burlington, was burglarized on Wednesday night.

Conversation was held by telephone on Wednesday between London, Ont., and New York city.

Richard Parks, an immigrant, aged nineteen, was drowned at Malabar Thursday while bathing.

The United States House has passed without a dissent the bill to admit New Mexico as a State.

Two hundred and twenty Barnardo boys started from Liverpool and London for Canada Thursday.

At Norwood Thursday evening Mrs. Foster accidentally shot her husband's father. He will recover.

An unsuccessful attempt was made Thursday night to break into the office of the Montreal Witness with dynamite.

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Deaths.

In Rawdon, on July 30th, MARGARET COOPER, aged 85 years, 8 months and 5 days.

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Ex-President Arce of Bolivia has been assassinated.

Frank Tierney, of Trenton, Ont., was drowned while driving logs near Milledun. Rumors that Premier Tupper, of Quebec, intended to resign, are contradicted.

The bill providing the anti-Joint laws has been rejected by the German Bundsrath.

The marriage of the Czar with the Princess Alix of Hesse will take place in January.

President Casimir-Perier of France has granted pardons to 374 political and other prisoners.

The recent in South Norfolk has resulted in Mr. Charlton's majority being increased from 17 to 21.

While intoxicated, James S. Sloan, age 45, fell downstairs at his home in Buffalo and broke his neck.

C. G. Dun & Co. report 34 failures in Ontario last week against 23 in the corresponding week last year.

Mr. James Stiles, of London, took a dose of poison Friday night with suicidal intent, but a emetic saved him.

The Owen Sound Council have prohibited bicyclists from riding on the sidewalks and the wheelmen are wrathful.

Charles S. Knight of Sonoma, P.E.I., aged 41, was drowned while bathing. He leaves a widow and three children.

A committee of the New York State Legislature has reported in favor of the bill making machine gunners.

The re-count in the Kingston election resulted in the reduction of Mr. Smythe's majority over Mr. Hartly to one vote.

"Prof." Jones of Bloomington fell from a balcony at Riverview Park, Joliet, Ill., on the Fourth and was fatally injured.

Year classes on Sunday the seven-year-old son of John Thompson of Avondale Park was killed by the kick from a horse.

Emigration to Canada through British ports declined 64 per cent. during June, as compared with the same month last year.

The Archbishop of Canterbury will christen the Duke of York's recently born son on July 16. The Queen will be present.

The steamer Lake Superior, from Montreal for Liverpool, struck an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle, seriously damaging her bows.

French, German, Russian and British newspapers unite in praising the inaugural speech delivered by President Casimir-Perier.

The Emperor of Germany will be the guest of the Queen at Buckingham Palace for two days at the end of the present month.

"Kennedy & Sons, of Owen Sound, have shipped \$100,000 worth of machinery and equipment for the lock-gates at Sault Ste. Marie.

Mr. J. Burnett, President of the Montreal Stock Exchange, and one of the leading brokers of that city, died suddenly on Sunday.

Fourteen passengers were killed and four injured by the wreck of a railway train between Lezama and Bilbao, Spain, on Saturday.

Four prisoners on board the steamer Dolein, which arrived at Stockholm recently from St. Petersburg, are suffering from cholera.

An accident at Levis on Monday 90 pilgrims en route for St. Anne de Beaupre were thrown into the river. One woman lost her life.

The Spanish Anarchist Jose, who recently threatened the life of President Casimir-Perier of France, was arrested at Geneva on Monday.

The Dominion Life has given a contract to a Belfast firm for a new steamship to run seventeen knots an hour between Montreal and Liverpool.

Mr. Richard Green, a clerk in the Confederation Life Assurance Company, was drowned while canoeing on the Toronto bay on July 5.

The six large structures on the Court of Honor which formed the World's Fair were destroyed by an incendiary fire on July 5.

The town of Plonjion, Russia, has been destroyed by fire. The population, 2,000 inhabitants rendered homeless. Several persons lost their lives.

George Emory, a Montreal nightwatchman, was shot in that city on Monday night by an unknown man, who escaped. Emory's condition is critical.

All vacations have been stopped in the New York police force. The order is said to be in consequence of a fear that the railway strike may reach that city.

A battle is said to have been fought on June 27 between insurgents and Government troops near the Udo pass, Brazil, in which the rebels lost over 1,000 men.

A fire broke out in Robert Thomson's lumber yard on Stewart street, Hamilton, on Sunday night. The lumber was destroyed, but the mill was completely destroyed.

The Bulgarian authorities have decided to permit the Premier Standoff charges of having opened private letters and generally abused the power entrusted to him.

Mr. Wm. Hyslop, ex-champion bicyclist of Canada, was married at Woodstock, July 5, to Miss Madge McLeod, daughter of the well-known millionaire of that town.

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The Newfoundland Methodist conference has passed a resolution deprecating the political disturbances and advising the people to fear God, honor the Queen and respect constituted authority.

The Italian Chamber has approved the bill making punishable the publication of anarchist doctrines and applies the severity of the law governing the manufacture and possession of explosives.

The joint convention of the Ontario Dental Society and the Eastern Ontario Dental Society will take place at Kingston, Ont., on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 27 and 28. This will bring together the largest gathering of dentists ever held in Canada, and whose names are not known.

In the British Columbia Provincial elections on Saturday, Vancouver Island returned a Conservative government. The Conservative party in the Interior elections will take place this week.

Canada's revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30th amounts to \$35,382,000, as against \$37,183,000 the previous year. The customs yielded \$19,119,000, as compared with \$20,707,000 the previous year.

REFUSE TO ARBITRATE

The Pullman Company Maintains a Defiant Attitude.

WAR NOW TO THE KNIFE

A Hundred Thousand Men Will Quit Work in Sympathy With the Boycott—A Riot at Grape Creek Results Fatally—Two Women Killed.

CHICAGO, July 5.—The name of George M. Pullman will go down in history as the central figure of the greatest strike in the history of the world, as well as the most disastrous labor agitation of the nineteenth century, growing out of the Pullman strike.

The Pullman strike, which began on the Pullman and the union of twenty-seven railroad managers in a defensive alliance against the strikers, has been the cause of the Pullman strike.

Chicago, July 9.—The seat of war in the railroad strike was transferred yesterday to Hammond, Ind., just across the border line, where from an early hour mobs of violence reigned supreme. Two companies of regular soldiers were detailed to the scene.

Late in the afternoon there was a pitched battle between the regulars and the mob, in which one man was killed and several wounded.

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Bill to Ratify it Discussed in the House of Commons.

COL. O'BRIEN'S AMENDMENT

THOUSANDS LANDS.

OTTAWA, July 11.—Hon. Geo. Foster, Minister of Finance, moved the second reading of the bill to ratify the French Treaty. He supported it in a very short speech.

Mr. Richard Cartwright did not very strongly oppose the treaty, but held that it was all in favor of France, and that Canada. He showed that the prohibitionists and the wine growers were opposed to the treaty, and that it would reduce the revenue when Canada could ill afford to.

Mr. O'Brien, Conservative, moved an amendment: "While this House is willing to ratify the French Treaty, it is not on fair and equitable terms will add to Canada's credit, it is unable to assent to the treaty that has been made with France on the ground that it will not prove reciprocal in its results, in that it gives to France greater advantages than Canada receives, being unfair and unequal, inasmuch as, according to one of its terms, the territory is to be divided into two equal parts, entitled to the benefit of all commercial advantages which Canada may hereafter give to any other foreign country, and not merely to tariff duties."

Canada is only to participate in any reduction of duty granted any other power in any of the duties in the tariff of the treaty. It is further unequal and unfair in this, that while any increase in the duties of life and his, too, at a time when France is to have advantages in respect of duties to France to denounce the treaty.

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PRACTICAL FARMING.

A Model Pigery.

Breeders of thoroughbred strains of swine not only wish to have a neat building for their fine stock, but also one which will permit the separation of the various individuals. The accompanying illustrations, from the



FIG. 1. PERSPECTIVE VIEW OF MODEL PIGERY.

sketches by H. C. Gwynne, of Massachusetts, present in Fig. 1 the elevation, and in Fig. 2 the ground plan of such an ornamental structure. This model pigery is fitted with conveniences for easily caring for from one hundred to one hundred and twenty-five pigs. The box, 12 ft. wide by 12 ft. long, is divided into four compartments, each of which is fitted with a trough for water, and a trough for feed. The troughs are fitted with a cover, and the cover is fitted with a handle, which can be used to lift the cover, and thus to get at the troughs. The troughs are fitted with a cover, and the cover is fitted with a handle, which can be used to lift the cover, and thus to get at the troughs.

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THE WEATHER.

Some Information About a Subject in Which We Are All Interested.

The annual rainfall at Sierra Leone is 125 inches. The annual fall of the barometer forebodes a heavy storm. Storm warnings were first given early in the year. On January 13, 1810, quakes were heard at Moscow.

The mean temperature of the whole earth is about 50 degrees.

The British Isles have an average of six-and-a-half inches a year.

The coldest ever known in England was on October 7, 1829.

In 1775 hailstones said to weigh 20 ounces fell at Morisc in Spain.

The average annual rainfall over the whole earth is 36 inches.

The high cirrus clouds are believed to be formed of ice.

More than 1,000 forms of snow crystals have been observed and copied.

The principles of rainfall were first correctly explained by Dalton in 1827.

The average annual amount of rain in England is equal to 5 inches of rain.

At Bombay the total amount of rain fallen in a day at Genoa, 30 at Gibraltar, 33.

In 1035 there was a frost in England July 1 that destroyed nearly all the vegetation.

The heaviest rainfall is near the equator, and diminishes steadily as the latitude rises.

In the year 310 hardly a drop of rain fell in England, and 40,000 people died of famine in the east of India.

Every civilized nation of the world, even China and Japan, now has a weather bureau.

The annual snowfall averages 5 feet in the interior of Maine, Vermont and New York.

When such cracks are damp, as though water-soaked, the indications are favorable for rain.

Over one-half of the vapor in the atmosphere is said to be 6,000 feet of the surface of the earth.

The seven years of drought and famine in Egypt recorded in Genesis began in the year 1876.

In 1740 the Thames froze solid, and a fair was held on the ice. It was kept open for several days.

Most of the storm-producing states of the ice lie below the tops of the highest mountain ranges.

In the United States the rainfall of the four seasons is about equal in amount in each season.

In the temperate zones, the maximum of the annual rainfall occurs about a month after the longest days.

In Norway the perpetual snow line is at 2,400 feet in the Himalayas, 16,700 in the Andes, 18,000 in the Alps.

Sun spots, now believed to have an effect on meteorological phenomena, were first observed in 1610.

The ancients entertained the idea that the dew was distilled upon the earth by the moon and stars.

When pigs are seen carrying 3 pounds to 5 pounds of fat, it is a sign of a good crop of corn.

In 1764 the cold at Constantinople was so severe that the Black Sea was frozen for fifty miles.

A rapidly rising barometer indicates an unsettled condition of the weather; a gradual fall, a storm.

A falling barometer while a north wind is blowing indicates snow in winter and rain or hail in summer.

The coldest place in the world is Yakutsk, Russia, where the thermometer sometimes falls to 73 degrees below zero.

The falling snowflakes bring with them all the floating refuse of the air, leaving the atmosphere extremely pure.

The average rainfall of Great Britain is estimated to equal 630,000 gallons per acre every year, amounting to 3,460 tons.

In 1656 a hail storm at Norwich, England, wrecked houses and killed many animals that could not reach shelter.

The heaviest rain ever recorded in Great Britain was at St. Giles, December 7, 1863—7 inches in twenty-four hours.

A wind moving at forty miles an hour carries a cubic foot of air 100 miles, of 50 pounds.

Spain, Italy, Sweden, Hanover, Russia, Austria and Prussia receive daily weather reports from London and Lyons.

In 1541 the winter was so severe in Europe that in Flanders where was frozen and was cut in blocks and sold by weight.

The time of Aristotle, who, so far as known, made the first weather observations.

In 1855 extremely cold weather prevailed in the United States. Mercurials and forest trees were killed by the frost.

Storm warnings have been displayed in the principal parts of this country without interruption since 1860 in England, since 1861.

Gaspard estimates that the evaporation of water from the surface of the earth is equal to 50 inches a year, according to location.

The summer of the year 306 witnessed so much rain in the north of Europe that the people perished of famine by thousands.

A window crack is an excellent barometer. When it is discovered that the rain is found in the air, the air is full of moisture and rain is probable.

A plug of tobacco furnishes an excellent indication of an approaching change in the weather. The smoke is damp and is moist and rain probable.

THE GREAT FRUIT BELT.

It Was at One Time South of the Boundary But Now It is Mainly in Canada.

"Some years ago the natural fruit belt of the United States ran through New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, and Arizona.

The United States, but experience has taught me that this belt has moved north, and is now possessed by your Dominion," was the remark made recently in Montreal by a man who had traveled over America, and who had just reached the city from an extensive tour of the Canadian north-west and the states to the south of the boundary line. Being asked to explain, he said that the people of Indiana and Ohio were the most anxious to have the fruit belt of their states had become nil, and that Canada from east to west and north to south was the most fertile and productive of fruit. "After the war the western States were the most fertile and productive of fruit, but now they have been driven north, and the fruit belt is now in Canada."

The man continued, declaring that the western Americans are sending delegations to the United States to secure the fruit belt, and that the United States are sending delegations to the United States to secure the fruit belt.

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A plain wooden coffin (writes the St. Petersburg correspondent) was lately conveyed, in a shabby old hearse, to the poor cemetery of the village of Yeliseyevsk.

This city. There was no priest to receive the last prayers, no mourners to shed a tear over the relative or friend who had passed away; the grave-diggers lowered the coffin into the earth, and the earth was stamped on the grave and all was over. A dog or rabbit might have been thus put out of sight. And yet all St. Petersburg was talking about the lifeless inmate of the plain wooden coffin.

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Corean Troops Attack the Japanese and Are Repulsed.

CHINA'S ACTIVE OPERATIONS

More Troops to be Sent Into Corea—Merchant Vessels Under Attack.

SHANGHAI, July 25.—It is reported that a Chinese transport ship has been sunk by a Japanese gunboat.

A despatch from Nagasaki says an engagement has taken place between Corean and Japanese troops, in which the former were defeated. It is said the Corean troops attacked the Japanese garrison at the instigation of the Chinese residents.

The British charge d'affaires at Tokio has wired the British Consul at Seoul, that the sphere of operations in any way that Japan may engage with China.

When war has been declared the non-combatant powers will exact a pledge that the treaty ports shall be exempted from the ravages of war.

China has embargoed the fleet of the China Merchants Company, the vessels to be employed as transports when needed.

News from Seoul is proceeding with great rapidity. The partial blockade here is aimed only against passenger and cargo steamers owned in Yohohama, Nagasaki and Kobe.

Some owners propose to sail their vessels under the American flag.

There are militia and naval manions in the imperial factories sufficient for a six months campaign. The Corean army in the vicinity of Seoul is 30,000 men, and cavalry, and additional arrive daily.

Another force will shortly be despatched to Corea.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Mr. Taten, the Japanese Minister here, received a telegram from his government saying that Corean troops had made an unprovoked attack upon the Japanese soldiers stationed at Seoul, and that their fire had been returned by the Japanese troops.

Minister Taten said the published statement that Secretary Graham had made an apology for having sent a telegram to Minister Dunn at Tokio saying that the United States would view with regret the levying of an unjust war upon Corea was without foundation.

VICTORIA, July 25.—The French warship Duguay Trouin, which sailed for Honolulu, has returned to port. It is thought that the threatened conflict between China and Japan over Corea has something to do with the sudden change in the Duguay Trouin's movements.

The vessel was signalled from Capeattery to return to Victoria.

Election Petitions Filed.

HAMILTON, July 25.—The petition against the election of Hon. J. M. Gibson for the House of Commons was filed at the Court yesterday in accordance with instructions given to Nesbitt & Gault, barristers, of this city.

The petition alleges that the necessary \$1,000 deposit required, and an effort will be made to raise the balance before the expiration of the three days allowed by the Controverted Elections Act. If the necessary funds are not forthcoming the matter will be allowed to drop.

TORONTO, July 25.—A protest against the election of Dr. Ryerson for East Toronto was filed yesterday morning by John Johnston & Ross on behalf of their client, W. R. Orley.

The protest charges Ryerson with having received money from the various churches of the city, and giving of lending money to jobbers, corporations and societies to influence voters.

Recorder de Montigny's Ruling.

MONTREAL, July 24.—Most interesting decision has just been given by Recorder de Montigny of this city. On July

